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					Apparent		Unit value	World
Year	Production	Imports	Exports	Stocks	consumption	(\$/t)	(98\$/t)	production
1900	539,000	213,000	Î		753,000	3.98	78.00	•
1901	575,000	239,000			814,000	3.15	62.00	
1902	741,000	310,000			1,050,000	3.38	64.00	
1903	945,000	270,000			1,220,000	4.69	85.00	
1904	854,000	299,000			1,150,000	3.88	71.00	
1905	946,000	362,000			1,310,000	3.96	72.00	
1906	1,400,000	396,000			1,790,000	3.68	67.00	
1907	1,590,000	412,000			2,000,000	3.88	68.00	
1908	1,560,000	272,000			1,830,000	3.28	60.00	
1909	2,040,000	318,000			2,360,000	3.51	64.00	
1910	2,160,000	377,000			2,540,000	3.59	63.00	
1911	2,110,000	354,000			2,460,000	3.59	63.00	
1912	2,270,000	374,000			2,640,000	3.33	56.00	
1913	2,360,000	406,000			2,760,000	3.34	54.90	
1914	2,250,000	335,000			2,580,000	3.62	58.80	
1915	2,220,000	306,000			2,530,000	3.48	55.90	
1916	2,500,000	231,000			2,730,000	3.73	55.70	
1917	2,450,000	218,000			2,660,000	5.32	67.70	
1918	1,870,000	46,000			1,910,000	7.03	76.10	
1919	2,200,000	156,000			2,350,000	8.23	77.60	
1920	2,840,000	256,000			3,090,000	10.50	85.40	
1921	2,620,000	242,000			2,860,000	10.70	97.40	
1922	3,430,000	371,000	6,960		3,790,000	9.92	96.30	
1923	4,310,000	407,000	8,000		4,710,000	9.74	92.80	
1924	4,570,000	471,000	9,640		5,040,000	10.40	98.60	9,700,000
1925	5,150,000	576,000	15,200		5,710,000	10.30	95.00	10,700,000
1926	5,110,000	748,000	17,800		5,840,000	10.40	95.00	11,300,000
1927	4,850,000	752,000	16,700		5,590,000	9.71	90.70	11,200,000
1928	4,700,000	933,000	2,150		5,630,000	7.95	75.70	11,800,000
1929	4,550,000	940,000	3,840		5,490,000	8.16	77.70	12,500,000
1930	3,150,000	819,000	3,270		3,960,000	10.00	98.20	11,900,000
1931	2,320,000	648,000	4,080		2,970,000	10.60	114.00	9,400,000
1932	1,280,000	339,000	3,250		1,620,000			
1933	1,210,000	326,000	3,420		1,530,000	11.80	148.00	7,400,000
1934	1,390,000	328,000	2,350		1,720,000	11.20	136.00	7,900,000
1935	1,730,000	408,000	4,110		2,130,000	12.30	146.00	8,300,000
1936	2,460,000	614,000	0		3,070,000	12.00	141.00	9,400,000
1937	2,770,000	814,000	4,330		3,580,000	12.20	139.00	7,790,000
1938	2,440,000	716,000	2,580		3,150,000			6,030,000
1939	2,930,000	1,190,000	9,380		4,100,000	12.40	145.00	8,030,000
1940	3,360,000	1,270,000	4,730		4,630,000	12.70	148.00	7,940,000
1941	4,340,000	1,220,000	14,100		5,550,000	13.40	148.00	8,960,000
1942	4,260,000	358,000	540		4,620,000	14.00	140.00	9,350,000
1943	3,520,000	210,000	4,810		3,720,000	15.60	147.00	8,480,000
1944	3,410,000	311,000	790		3,720,000		148.00	8,400,000
1945	3,460,000	462,000	970		3,920,000		151.00	
1946	5,110,000	1,320,000	3,690		6,430,000	16.80	140.00	
1947	5,630,000	1,960,000	8,820	-	7,580,000	18.60	136.00	16,500,000
1948	6,580,000	2,590,000	1,270		9,170,000	21.10	142.00	21,200,000
1949	5,990,000	2,350,000	15,900		8,330,000	21.00	144.00	19,000,000
1950	7,430,000	2,920,000	21,500	1,360,000	10,300,000	21.70	146.00	22,600,000

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1951	7,860,000	3,120,000	22,700	1,400,000	11,000,000	23.90	150.00	18,400,000
1952	7,630,000	2,800,000	18,000	1,530,000	10,500,000	23.60	145.00	24,100,000
1953	7,520,000	2,890,000	21,500	1,390,000	10,200,000	24.90	152.00	25,400,000
1954	8,160,000	3,060,000	20,000	1,510,000	11,300,000	25.80	157.00	28,000,000
1955	9,690,000	3,610,000	20,900	1,720,000	13,500,000	26.30	160.00	32,100,000
1956	9,360,000	3,940,000		2,050,000	13,600,000	28.50	171.00	33,500,000
1957	8,340,000	3,930,000		2,100,000	12,300,000	27.40	158.00	34,200,000
1958	8,710,000	3,670,000		2,000,000	12,300,000	24.20	137.00	37,800,000
1959	9,890,000	5,560,000	12,700	2,270,000	15,700,000	29.30	164.00	43,100,000
1960	8,910,000	4,810,000	15,400	3,080,000	14,500,000	29.60	163.00	40,000,000
1961	8,620,000			3,310,000	13,300,000	29.90	162.00	40,500,000
1962	9,040,000	4,920,000	18,100	3,270,000	13,900,000	30.80	165.00	43,500,000
1963	9,420,000	4,980,000		3,570,000	14,700,000	31.10	165.00	45,500,000
1964	9,690,000	5,680,000		3,770,000	15,600,000	30.80	162.00	46,800,000
1965	9,100,000	5,360,000		3,630,000	14,300,000	29.50	152.00	48,000,000
1966	8,750,000	4,970,000		3,540,000	13,600,000	28.80	145.00	48,700,000
1967	8,520,000	4,140,000		3,810,000	12,900,000	28.80	141.00	46,200,000
1968	9,090,000	4,970,000		3,630,000	13,800,000	29.00	136.00	49,400,000
1969	8,990,000	5,310,000		3,450,000	14,100,000	29.40	131.00	52,200,000
1970	8,560,000	5,560,000		3,780,000		27.30	114.00	51,600,000
1971	9,450,000	5,530,000		3,380,000		28.30	114.00	53,100,000
1972	11,200,000	7,000,000	46,300	3,910,000	18,700,000	31.80	124.00	57,600,000
1973	12,600,000	6,950,000		3,630,000	19,200,000	33.80	124.00	61,500,000
1974	11,300,000	6,730,000		2,720,000	17,000,000	36.70	121.00	61,400,000
1975	9,180,000	4,940,000	68,000	1,810,000	13,100,000	36.30	110.00	59,200,000
1976	11,400,000	5,650,000	258,000	1,910,000	16,900,000	40.10	115.00	66,100,000
1977	12,900,000	6,420,000		2,360,000	19,600,000	48.90	131.00	74,500,000
1978	14,100,000	7,540,000	120,000	3,380,000	22,600,000	63.70	159.00	77,800,000
1979	14,000,000	7,050,000	82,600	3,540,000	21,100,000	70.30	158.00	80,400,000
1980	11,800,000	6,680,000	79,800	2,910,000	17,800,000	70.20	139.00	78,400,000
1981	11,100,000	6,890,000	142,000	3,220,000	18,100,000	69.60	125.00	76,200,000
1982	10,200,000	6,090,000		3,620,000	16,600,000	71.10	120.00	72,500,000
1983	12,400,000	7,290,000	106,000	2,680,000	18,600,000	81.00	133.00	80,700,000
1984	13,700,000	8,080,000		2,470,000	21,500,000	104.00	164.00	85,800,000
1985	13,800,000			2,760,000			164.00	87,000,000
1986	14,600,000	8,670,000	141,000	3,110,000	23,500,000	110.00	164.00	88,200,000
1987	14,800,000	8,820,000	115,000	2,720,000	23,100,000	94.60	136.00	93,100,000
1988	15,500,000	8,780,000	4,540	2,820,000	24,400,000	91.00	125.00	101,000,000
1989	16,600,000	8,440,000	98,000	2,730,000	24,900,000	78.50	103.00	104,000,000
1990	15,600,000	7,920,000	117,000	1,800,000	22,400,000	73.50	91.70	104,000,000
1991	14,600,000	6,930,000	67,000	2,020,000	21,700,000	68.00	81.40	100,000,000
1992	15,400,000	7,180,000	98,000	2,350,000	22,800,000	60.40	70.20	98,800,000
1993	16,600,000	7,390,000	69,000	2,320,000	23,900,000	73.50	82.90	97,200,000
1994	19,000,000	8,470,000	89,000	1,200,000	26,300,000	81.90	90.10	96,300,000
1995	19,200,000	8,160,000		1,100,000	26,900,000	80.50	86.10	98,400,000
1996	21,400,000	8,050,000	136,000	1,200,000	28,000,000	80.50	83.60	104,000,000
1997	22,600,000	8,420,000	174,000	1,200,000	29,500,000	79.40	80.70	106,000,000
1998	23,600,000	8,680,000	166,000	1,200,000	30,500,000	91.70	91.70	104,000,000
1999	27,600,000	9,340,000		1,500,000	37,100,000		92.20	106,000,000
2000	24,500,000	9,210,000		1,500,000	33,500,000	97.00	91.80	106,000,000
2001	23,100,000	8,270,000	295,000	1,500,000	31,100,000	84.40	77.70	104,000,000

Gypsum Worksheet Notes

Data Sources

Sources of data for the gypsum worksheet are the mineral statistics publications of the U.S. Bureau of Mines and the U.S. Geological Survey—Minerals Yearbook (MYB) and its predecessor, Mineral Resources of the United States (MR); and the Mineral Commodity Summaries (MCS) and its predecessor, Commodity Data Summaries (CDS). The years of publication and corresponding years of data coverage are listed in the References section below. Zeros are used where data are actually "0." Blank cells in the worksheet indicate that data were not available.

Production

Total production data for gypsum are the sum of mine production and byproduct production. Data are from the MR and the MYB.

Imports

Import data include crude gypsum only; ground and calcined gypsum, plaster of Paris, and Keenes cement are not included. Data are from the MR and the MYB.

Exports

Export data prior to the year 1922 are not available. For the years 1922–27, data include all gypsum exports. Data for the years 1928–48 and 1988–2001 include crude gypsum exports only. Data for the years 1949–87 include crude, crushed, ground, and calcined gypsum exports. Data are from the MR and the MYB.

Stocks

Data are crude gypsum producer stocks as of end of year December 31. Stock data prior to the year 1950 are not available. Data are from the MR and the MYB.

Apparent Consumption

Apparent consumption data are not available prior to 1954. For those years data are estimated using the following equation:

APPARENT CONSUMPTION = CRUDE MINE GYPSUM PRODUCTION + BYPRODUCT GYPSUM PRODUCTION + CRUDE GYPSUM IMPORTS – EXPORTS \pm (STOCK CHANGES).

Apparent consumption data for the years 1954–2001 are from the CDS and the MCS.

Unit Value (\$/t)

Unit value is defined as the value of 1 metric ton (t) of gypsum apparent consumption. The gypsum unit value data for the years 1900–2001 are estimated using the crude mine gypsum unit value.

Unit Value (98\$/t)

The Consumer Price Index conversion factor, with 1998 as the base year, is used to adjust unit value in current U.S. dollars to the unit value in constant 1998 U.S. dollars.

World Production

World production reports world mine production of crude gypsum. Data are not available prior to 1924. Data are from the MR and the MYB.

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